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**NO COMMISSION
TO BE NAMED TILL
MINERS RETURN**

White House Indicates Workmen Must Carry Out Their Agreement First.

FOREIGN SHIPS GET COAL

Restrictions Against Supplying Fuel Are Relaxed by Railroad Administration and Hundreds of Vessels Will Now Be Able to Leave Port.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—It was indicated at the White House today that the commission which is to investigate the coal industry with a view to adjusting wages and prices would not be named until the mine workers have carried out their agreement to return to work.

**FOREIGN VESSELS NOW
IN PORT WILL GET COAL**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Restrictions against supplying fuel to foreign ships were relaxed today by the Railroad Administration to permit the departure of hundreds of foreign vessels which have been held in Atlantic and other ports since the shortage of coal became acute. Director General Hines ordered that vessels should be supplied in the following order:

- No. 1.—Inland and coastwise vessels.
 - No. 2.—American overseas vessels.
 - No. 3.—Foreign overseas vessels.
- Heretofore the only foreign ships which have been allowed to obtain coal were fast mail and passenger liners. Coal production was expected by railroad administration officials to be 80 per cent of normal today. Reports showing that miners were returning to work rapidly in all fields except in Ohio and Kansas.

FIRST TRACKING SNOW

Deer Hunters Have Final Opportunity of 1919 Season Today.

The last day of the season for hunting deer in Pennsylvania, which is today, found conditions more to the liking of the hunter. There was a "tracking snow," the first real one of the season in Fayette county. Last week there was a light fall of snow and hoof marks were visible in places but difficult to follow. Today three to five inches covered the ground. The drawback, however, was the severe cold and biting wind which rendered it very uncomfortable for those participating in the hunt. It was expected there would be many out, however. The rabbit season ends today with that for deer. The only game which may now be legally killed is raccoon, the season for which ends December 31.

THREE NEW WELLS

One Brings In 10,000,000 Feet in Eden Park, New Producing Territory.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15.—Three new gas wells were added to the active list in the McKeesport field here today when a 10,000,000 foot well came in with a rush in Eden Park, a recent addition to the producing territory, and was quickly followed by a 2,000,000 foot well in the same section. Almost immediately afterward another well, measuring 2,000,000 cubic feet was struck in an older field. Derivatives are springing up all over the field and a number of other wells are due in the sand, it is stated, before Christmas.

NOT COLDEST DAY

Wind Made This Morning's Weather Worst of the Season. However, although the cold seemed more intense, the thermometer this morning did not register as low temperature as Thursday of last week, which holds the record for the season, with 18 degrees. The official thermometer at the West Penn building registered 19 this morning at an early hour and by mid-forenoon was at 20 degrees. Other thermometers about town ranged 10, 12 and 13 degrees as the minimum. At Indian Head it was said 10 degrees was the low mark. Snow covers the ground in the mountains from three to four inches deep. Continued cold is forecast for Tuesday.

SOMERSET MAN A SUICIDE

Harry Drake, Y. M. C. A. Worker, Despondent Over Ill Health.

FARMINGTON, Conn., Dec. 15.—Harry Drake, aged 42, of Somerset, Pa., committed suicide on Talcott Mountain Sunday by shooting himself. Drake is said to have suffered a nervous breakdown following long service as a Y. M. C. A. secretary at Camp Meade and came here with his wife in an effort to regain his health. He was a son of James S. Drake of Springfield, Mass.

German Reply Received

PARIS, Dec. 15.—The German delegation this morning handed Germany's reply to the Entente note to Paul Dussat, secretary of the peace conference.

**ALL RESTRICTIONS ON THE
SHIPMENT OF COAL REMOVED****PRESIDENT STANDS FOR
PEACE PACT AS IT IS;
WILL CONCEDE NOTHING**

Executive Intervenes to State That He Will Be Party to No Compromise.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—President Wilson on Sunday intervened in the peace treaty dilemma with an announcement that he had "no compromise or concessions of any kind in mind," would make no move toward the treaty's disposition, and would continue to hold the Republican members of the Senate responsible for the results and conditions attending delay.

The President's position, regarded as particularly significant, in view of the recent discussion in the Senate of a compromise was set forth in the following statement, issued from the White House:

"It was learned from the highest authority at the executive offices today that the hopes of the Republican leaders of the Senate that the President would presently make some move which would relieve the situation with regard to the treaty is entirely without foundation; he has no compromise or concession of any kind in mind, but intends so far as he is concerned, that the Republican leaders of the Senate shall continue to bear the undivided responsibility for the fate of the treaty and the present condition of the world, in consequence of that fate."

The White House statement apparently had no effect in changing the treaty situation. Democratic leaders, including the President's view, declared that it did not preclude a Senate compromise, and that compromise efforts would proceed. Republican leaders reiterated that the President was responsible for the present status and must make the first move toward a solution. Senators hoping to kill the treaty alone expressed satisfaction.

PASTOR HAS THREE CALLS

Son of Local Christian Minister Accepts That from Lees Summit, Mo.

Receiving almost simultaneous calls to the pastorates of three Missouri churches, George Walker Buckner, Jr., youngest son of George Walker Buckner, pastor of the Christian church of Connellsville, has accepted the proffer from the church at Lees Summit, Mo. He will begin his work there about January 1, according to word received by the father. He has been at Lees Summit, Mo. Other calls came from Hannibal and Louisiana, Mo. Buckner was born and spent his childhood days.

For some time the young minister has been engaged in aiding the "Missouri Movement" for raising \$3,000,000 for Christian colleges in Missouri. He was with Mr. and Mrs. Buckner to England in 1911 and after two years there returned to America and completed his education.

WOMAN BADLY BURNED

Clothing of Mrs. Lewis Miller, Pitts- town, Ignites from Grate.

Mrs. Lewis Miller, well-known young woman of Pitts-town, was severely burned last week when her clothing caught fire from a grate. The woman was standing with her back to the fire when her skirt ignited. In attempting to put out the flames she was burned about the hands and arms. Her back also suffered.

Miss Miller French, who was at the home at the time, came to the rescue of Mrs. Miller, dashing over her a bucket of water. The woman will recover, it was said today, barring the unforeseen. The Millers formerly lived in Pennsylvania. A babe in Mrs. Miller's arms was not injured.

NAVAL AVIATION

Selected by Anthony Kogut of Exeter and C. L. Stuever of Stauffer. Anthony Kogut of Exeter and C. L. Stuever of Stauffer, enlisted in the Navy yesterday at the local recruiting sub-station in the postoffice building.

Both selected the aviation branch of the service. They will be sent to the Naval Aviation School at Great Lakes, Ill., for instruction and training.

Legion County Committee to Meet. A meeting of the county committee of the American Legion will be held tonight in the office of Core & Core, in the Fayette Title & Trust Building, Uniontown. This end of the county will be represented by Thomas W. Scott, Max C. Fitch, Montgomery Dilworth, Irving Snow, Lloyd S. McClelland and Basil J. Soisson, of Connellsville, and Stanley Mong, of Dawson. A county chairman is to be elected.

Pennsylvania Leads. According to figures compiled by the State Highway Department, Pennsylvania leads in the amount of bonds issued for road construction purposes, with a total of \$73,725,000. Texas is a close second, with \$73,522,000.

Steamer Abandoned

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 15.—The British steamer Messina, reported in a sinking condition yesterday, has been abandoned.

**Local Operators Still Awaiting
Money For Fuel Diverted
By U. S. Order.**

Following the lifting last week of restrictions governing the production of coke and the use of coal and coke for light, heat and power, action was received by Connellsville coal operators today from the Railroad Administration that restrictions on the shipment of coal are removed, effective at once. This means that all shipments will be sent as promptly as possible to the original consignees.

Since the regulations permitting supplies of coal to be sent only to those on the priorities list of the Fuel Administration operators have not known the destinations of coal, nor have they, as a rule, been paid. Although action is being taken for the issuance of certificates good as collateral on notes of the operators was promulgated on December 4 none of the certificates have yet come into the hands of Connellsville shippers. Lifting of the restriction removes the necessity of issuing the certificates.

With increased demand for cars to make up the shortage of fuel resulting from the strike of bituminous coal miners operators are now fearful that a serious shortage will ensue.

**SEAT RESERVATIONS
INDICATE BIG HOUSES
FOR LEGION MINSTREL**

Sale Opens This Morning and Demand Is Good; Program Includes Numbers That Look Good.

The seat sale for the American Legion minstrel show, which will be given in the high school auditorium, Wednesday and Thursday nights, opened at 10 o'clock this morning at the Connellsville Drug company store. The demand for reservations was indicative of a big crowd. Tickets may be purchased there and seats picked out at the same time, or the pasteborders are procurable from members of the Legion.

The show has been advertised extensively and in novel ways, consequently much interest has been aroused. The latest stunt adopted by the committee was the placing of bricks with the name and date of the show at principal corners of the city late Saturday night. The snow, however, covered them up a few hours later and not all of them are visible yet.

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MUSICIANS ELECT

R. B. Tedrow Is Named President of Connellsville Organization.

Officers of the Connellsville Musical Society, Local 117, were elected yesterday as follows: R. B. Tedrow, president; S. E. Wisinger, vice president; V. Hugh Muller, secretary; O. L. Gove, assistant secretary; O. R. Herwick, treasurer; J. E. Decker, sergeant at arms; Clyde S. Herrington, guard; John Kiferle, J. F. Hardy and W. M. Rogozinski, examining committee; J. J. Brown, J. F. Hardy, executive board; S. E. Desmone, O. R. Herwick, delegates to convention; R. L. Hannam and J. W. Butternut, alternates.

The convention which the local men will attend will be held in Pittsburg in the spring, and will be known as the Silver Jubilee, since it is the 50th anniversary of the organization of the A. F. of M.

ROBBERS GET \$1,500 CASH

Money Orders and Registered Letters Also Missing in Greene County.

Cash and money orders to the amount of \$1,500 and six registered letters, the contents of which are unknown, were stolen last night at Nemacolin, Greene county, by burglars who opened the safe in the store of the Buckley Coal company. The robbery was accomplished without blowing the safe. Whether it was not safely closed or the combination was wrong is not known.

The money orders and mail had been placed there for safekeeping.

Gold Leave of Absence. LONDON, Dec. 15.—Viscount Gray, ambassador to the United States, has been granted a leave of absence in order to come to England and discuss several important questions with the government. It was announced by Premier Lloyd George today.

Kimball Chief Clerk. Don M. Kimball of Somerset, leader of the famous 110th Regiment band, has been appointed chief clerk in the Somerset county commissioners' office to succeed Lawrence M. Phillips, who has served in that capacity for the past 10 years.

Shipley Buys Austin Home. The Hiram Austin residence at 401 East Fayette street has been sold to H. F. Shipley at the West Side, through the S. W. Metz agency. Mr. Shipley will not take possession until spring. The house is a six-room frame structure.

Called to Greensburg. Rev. R. H. Williams, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, Uniontown, was yesterday extended a call to Zion Lutheran church, Greensburg.

**FIUME CONTROL
COMPLETELY IN
ITALIAN HANDS**

Regular Forces to Occupy Adriatic Town Which Has Caused Much Trouble.

D'ANNUNZIO IS THE VICTOR

Ambitions of Soldier-Foot, Who Formerly Occupied the Place, Are All to Be Realized and Terms of Treaty of London Will All Be Carried Out.

By Associated Press.
FIUME, Dec. 15.—Preparations are under way for the evacuation of Fiume by Gabriele D'Annunzio, the soldier-foot, and his forces and the occupation of this Adriatic town which has been the cause of so much dissension by a contingent of the Regular Italian Army, headed by Gen. Cavaglia, former minister of war.

Italy is to have complete sovereignty over Fiume and the terms of the Treaty of London are to be carried out under the terms of a compact signed by Premier Nitti and D'Annunzio, according to a statement made by D'Annunzio's press representative, Franco, Great Britain and Italy are in agreement that Italy shall annex Fiume, it was asserted. D'Annunzio is called to consider that all of his ambitions, which resulted in the seizure of Fiume, have been attained and that the agreements signed with Premier Nitti fully guarantee their realization.

**BOY SCOUTS TELL
XMAS SEAL STORY IN
THE SUNDAY SCHOOLS**

Reason for the Little Stickers Not Clear to Everybody, They Discover.

The Boy Scouts of this city will aid in the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals for the benefit of tuberculosis sufferers of the state this week. The Scouts spoke in some of the Sunday schools yesterday, and will speak in other schools next Sunday. The pupils in one school were asked how many knew the reason the seals were sold and only about one-half knew. This shows that even in a city where much is spoken of this matter every day, everyone does not know the use of Christmas seals. For this reason and to help in the selling of them the Scouts will speak in the different churches this week.

The tuberculosis germ was not discovered until 1882 when it was made known by Dr. Robert Koch, although it had killed many people in the ancient countries centuries before. Contrary to stubborn popular belief, tuberculosis is not inherited, but is taken from the expectoration of tubercular mothers and fathers who already have it. This disease is preventable and can be eradicated. Of the plagues that afflict the world none is more deadly than tuberculosis, the Great White Plague.

In the United States 150,000 persons die every year, 480 every 24 hours, 20 every hour, three every minute. Besides the inactive cases, which are numberless, are 1,000,000 active cases. The inactive cases may be transformed into active ones by a weakness caused by another disease or a physical strain. Tuberculosis is the most insidious of all diseases. It strikes silently and is often at work many days before it is discovered. The greatest toll of this germ is from men 15 to 45 years of age.

In the recent war 67,882 men were killed or died of other causes, while at home 150,000 were killed by tuberculosis alone. Soldiers fight a tangible foe, but tuberculosis is a secret, invisible enemy that creeps upon its victims.

It can be controlled by systematic efforts. The National Tuberculosis association has 1,000 state and local organizations which are waging a continuous and winning war on this plague. These organizations are financed chiefly by the sale of Christmas seals.

No Irish Bill

LONDON, Dec. 15.—Premier Lloyd George announced in the House of Commons this afternoon that no Irish bill would be introduced at this session of Parliament. He promised a statement on Monday next giving an outline of the measure.

Rev. Ashe Unchanged

S. P. Ashe was in New Kensington spending the weekend with his father, Rev. A. J. Ashe, who has been seriously ill for the past month. Mr. Ashe reports his father's condition unchanged.

Weather Forecast

Fair tonight and Tuesday, except snow flurries near Lake Erie; colder tonight, in the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.
1919 1918
Maximum 19 49
Minimum 2 31
The Allegheny river, falling the night from 6.85 feet to 6.80 feet.

**WAR-TIME PROHIBITION ACT
IS UPHELD BY SUPREME COURT**

All Hopes For Brief Wet Period Dispelled By Highest Tribunal's Decision.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—War time prohibition was held constitutional today. The decision of the Supreme court deciding appeals from Kentucky and New York involving the constitutionality of the act was read by Associate Justice Brandeis.

Federal Court decrees in New York dismissing proceedings brought by Dryfoos, Blum & Company to compel internal revenue officials to permit the withdrawal from bond of whiskey for beverage purposes were affirmed by the court.

The signing of the armistice did not abrogate the war power of Congress, Associate Justice Brandeis said in reading the decision of the court. Justice Brandeis said the government did not appropriate liquor by stopping its domestic sale as the way was left for exporting it.

In deciding the question the supreme court also dissolved injunctions restraining revenue officials from interfering with the removal from bond of about 70,000,000 gallons of whiskey held by the Kentucky distilleries and warehouse companies of Louisville, Ky.

Justice Brandeis also called attention to the continued control of the railroads and reassignment of powers by the government relative to coal and sugar under war acts to show that the government continues to exercise various war powers despite the signing of the armistice.

The constitutional prohibition amendment, as binding on the federal government as well as the states and supercedes state laws, the court declared.

The judgment of the court in the Kentucky and New York cases was unanimous. Justice Brandeis said there was no basis for the contention that President Wilson's statement in his message vetoing the prohibition enforcement act that the war had come to an end, was a proclamation announcing termination of the war.

In rendering its opinion the court confined itself entirely to the war-time prohibition act and took no action on the so-called beer case which attacks the constitutionality of the prohibition enforcement act.

On the other hand there were many who were just as confident that the war-time act would be upheld.

Decision of the court ends the possibility of liquor again being placed on sale, legally, and knocks out the prospect of a "wet" Christmas.

MRS. CUNNINGHAM HOME

Gibson Avenue Woman Suffers Temporary Lull in Mind.

Mrs. Ira J. Cunningham, who disappeared from her home in Gibson avenue Friday and for whom a search was made by the police and her husband, returned Sunday morning. She had suffered a temporary derangement of the mind, it was said, due apparently to the strain of attendance upon a sick child.

According to a report made to the police Mrs. Cunningham had gone to Scotland and secured employment in a restaurant, where, on Sunday morning, her faculties returned and she started for home.

No More Need Apply. Bureau of Internal Revenue officials say that no more applications for appointment in the prohibition enforcement service can be considered from Pennsylvania. The number of applications in Pennsylvania now on file is so great that the full quota of appointments can be made with well qualified men immediately, officials declare. It will be impossible, they say, for local officers to investigate and report upon additional applicants.

Assassin Fails. CAIRO, Dec. 15.—An unsuccessful attempt was made today to assassinate the premier while he was driving to the ministry. His assailant, a student, was arrested. The outrage occurred outside the Italian club, opposite former headquarters. The assailant first threw a bomb and then fired a revolver. Three revolvers were found in his possession.

Ship Flee Quickly Quenched. NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Fire which started last night in one of the cabins of the Steamship DeKalb, a former German liner now undergoing alterations here to be entered in the South American service, was extinguished before any material damage had been done, officials of the United States Shipping Board announced today.

**CATHOLICS FORM
CHARITIES UNIT
FOR THIS SECTION**

Bishop Regis Canavin Presides at Meeting For Organization Sunday Night.

COOPERATION IS SOUGHT

Lack of 32 Parishes Represented Will Have Distinct Unit Composed of Six Members Who Will Be Responsible For Community Welfare Projects.

Preliminaries to the formation of a unit of the Conference of Catholic Charities of the Pittsburgh diocese of the Roman Catholic church were taken last night at a meeting in the parochial hall of the Immaculate Conception church, Connellsville, with Bishop Regis Canavin of Pittsburgh presiding and at which the following temporary officers were elected: President, Henry B. Brown, Connellsville; vice president, Mrs. A. C. Hagan, Uniontown; secretary, Basil J. Soisson, Connellsville.

Represented at the meeting were the following parishes: All Saints, Masontown; St. Francis, McClellandtown; St. Procopius, New Salem; Madonna, Republic; Immaculate Conception, St. John's Evangelical and St. Rita's, Connellsville; St. Thomas, Footdale; St. Aloysius, Dunbar; St. Vincent de Paul, Leisenring; Perpetual Help, Lockport; St. John the Baptist, Star Junction; Nativity and St. Joseph, Uniontown.

The purpose is to enlist the cooperation of every one of the 32 parishes in the county, each of which will be a distinct unit in the county organization. Each pastor will be notified through Secretary Soisson to appoint six members of his parish—three men and three women—as a parish unit. When this has been done another county convention will be held. It is probable a month will elapse before the next assembly.

Bishop Canavin presided over the meeting. After outlining briefly the objects of the organization, the bishop introduced Father O'Connell of Pittsburgh who went into detail as to what has been accomplished and what may be. Although the society has been in existence but a year, Father O'Connell said, it has done a great work through its child-saving bureau. Through the efforts of the combined churches of Pittsburgh a moral court was established about a year ago and through the bureau of the diocese organization attention was given to children coming before the courts. Thirteen hundred cases were considered during the first year, in providing homes, making better home conditions and restoring homes. One result has been that the number of cases before the moral court have been reduced 70 per cent.

The movement is patriotic as well as religious. Bishop Canavin said. There is a wonderful work ahead, he pointed out. At least 5,000 children need protection and a helping hand, rather than money. The bishop has been in close touch with conditions in the district for five years and his observations during those years showed startling conditions.

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TO CONFER DEGREES

Protected Home Circle Plans Big Initiation Ceremony.

The inner circle degree of the Protected Home Circle of the Uniontown district will be conferred tomorrow evening in Uniontown. A banquet will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, followed by the initiation of about 100 candidates. All members not eligible to the degree will be entertained in the home hall, dancing being the amusement. A. C. McLean of Sharon, supreme president, and Evans M. Roberts of Pittsburgh, supreme degree master, Charles B. Barton of McKeesport, supreme noble, and others from out of town points will attend. Mrs. Maude M. Crockett of Uniontown, deputy in charge of the district since July 30th, 1919, has added about 50 new members.

319TH REUNION

Members of Company H Hold First Gathering in Pittsburg.

Ralph F. Siger of Connellsville was among the members of Company H, 319th Infantry, who held a reunion and smoker Saturday at the Port Pitt hotel, Pittsburg. Fifty were present, among them the old commander, Captain Kezziel of Keokuk, Iowa. It was the initial gathering.

The veterans formed an organization by electing the following officers: Alex Bugas, 74, captain, president, and Raymond L. Durr, Homestead, secretary.

Mrs. Siger Improves. Favorable reports of the condition of Mrs. J. L. Siger, who was operated on Saturday morning at Lake Erie hospital, Cleveland, O., by Dr. George Crile, have been received here. When Francis J. Siger left Cleveland for home his mother was resting easily and was reported to be getting along nicely by hospital authorities.

**COUNTY TEACHERS'
INSTITUTE IS OPENED
TODAY IN UNIONTOWN**

Nearly 700 Instructors in Attendance at 55th Annual Session, With Supt. Carroll Presiding.

The 55th annual session of the Fayette County Teachers' Institute opened this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the Grand opera house, Uniontown, with the majority of the 700 teachers who are members in attendance. Part of them arrived Saturday, the remainder during the forenoon today. County Superintendent John S. Carroll presided.

The institute resumed its activities after a lapse of two years, last winter's session having been cancelled because of the influenza epidemic. It gives promise of being the most interesting in years. After war problems will enter largely into the discussions of the work.

The chief instructors are Dr. Elwood C. Perkins of the University of South Dakota; Dr. James M. Callahan of the University of West Virginia, and Dr. Edwin Starbuck of the University of Iowa. Prof. Charles G. Pierce of the Pittsburg schools is musical director. Evening entertainments include lectures by Dr. Glenn Frank of Northwestern University tonight and Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of Boston on Thursday evening.

The opening of the county institute also marks the beginning of the holiday vacation for the students of the schools whose teachers attend the institute. The majority of them will be idle for two weeks.

**McKEESPORT GAS NOT
BURNED HERE, BUT IT
HELPS JUST THE SAME**

Other Towns Get Supply from New Field, Leaving More W. Va. Gas for This City.

If there is no failure today of the gas supply in the territory traversed by the lines of the Fayette County Gas company it will be because of the great well drilled in the McKeesport field, according to General Superintendent J. E. Angle of the Fayette county concern. Fayette county does not get gas from the McKeesport field, Mr. Angle said but it is affected indirectly. The People's Natural Gas company, which supplies a part of Pittsburg, also Greensburg, Johnstown and other places east, is drawing on the McKeesport wells to the extent that its demand on the Hope Natural Gas company, feeder for the Fayette County company's mains, is greatly lessened.

Notwithstanding this the pressure in the mains of the Fayette County Gas company is the lowest in a long time. Pressure in the mains at Connellsville this afternoon had dropped from 55 to 50 pounds, normal, to 15 pounds. Mount Pleasant had pound and a half at noon as compared with 25 normal. Other places were affected in like manner. Superintendent Angle said he was hopeful that the supply would not fail altogether.

To conserve the supply for domestic purposes all manufacturing companies were cut off this morning.

RIDENOUR HELD

Suspect in Dog Poisoning Case Gives \$4,000 Bail for Court.

Austin Ridenour, who is accused of attempting to poison dogs of Harry T. Beangel of Snyder street, Connellsville, was held for the action of the grand jury by Justice of the Peace Robert E. McLaughlin of Dawson, following a hearing Saturday evening. The defendant provided bail in the sum of \$4,000, with a brother-in-law, named Hough, as bondsman.

Constable Frank McLaughlin, who arrested Ridenour and who claims to have found a bottle containing poison in Ridenour's possession, was a witness.

CONSTABLE ON TRIAL

Samuel A. Fasson Charged With Carrying Concealed Weapons.

Samuel A. Fasson, Connellsville constable, was placed on trial before Judge J. C. Work in Uniontown this morning on a charge of carrying concealed weapons preferred by Policeman Ross May of Dunbar. Fasson appeared at a hearing in Dunbar and the Dunbar officer had occasion to arrest him for alleged disorderly conduct during the hearing and found a revolver on his person.

When an officer has a right to carry a gun and when he has not is the question for the jury to decide.

Classmate of Commerce Secretary. Judge Joshua Alexander of Missouri, recently appointed secretary of commerce, succeeding Secretary Redfield, is said to be a classmate of George Walker Buckner, pastor of the Christian church of Connellsville, and the alma mater of Mrs. Buckner.

Sate at Smith Building. The car of food and clothing received from the government for sale in Connellsville has been removed to the Smith building in Crawford avenue, West Side, where it will be placed on sale tomorrow, beginning at 9 o'clock.



MISS NELLE FORWALT WEDS WILMINGTON MAN

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Nelle Forwalt, daughter of Mrs. Aaron Forwalt, of the West Side, and Gerald O. MacConachie of Wilmington, Del., solemnized Wednesday, November 28 in the parsonage of the Presbyterian church in Wilmington. The wedding was the culmination of a romance which began while the bride was a nurse at the dispensary at the Harlem shipyard at Wilmington. Mr. MacConachie, holding a responsible position at the same plant, Mrs. MacConachie is one of the most favorably known young women of the West Side. She was graduated from the nurses training school in Uniontown and during the war was sent by the government to Wilmington, where she has been located for over a year. The young couple will reside in Wilmington.

Celebrates Birthday

Enjoying good health, R. Baisley, one of the most prominent residents of Connellsville, celebrated his 76th birthday Saturday at his home in North First street, West Side, a party being given in honor of his happy occasion by the William P. Kurtz Post No. 104, Grand Army of the Republic, of which Mr. Baisley is a member. Despite the unfavorable weather, a large number of guests attended the celebration. The celebration was a very enjoyable affair. A feature in connection with the party, was the fact that 37 years ago Saturday, Mr. Baisley participated in his first battle of the Civil War, at Fredericksburg. Other veterans present who were in the same battle were T. P. Clark, W. A. Arns and G. H. Whiteley, the last two named having been wounded. Rev. G. W. Boequer, pastor of the Christian church, of which Mr. Baisley is a member, was present and gave an interesting and appropriate talk. Later in the afternoon, a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. C. H. Baisley, a daughter-in-law of the honor guest.

Boy Scout Meeting

Boy Scouts and scout officials are called to meet at 7 o'clock this evening at the Carnegie library hall to plan for the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. All are urged to be on hand.

King's Daughters to Meet

The King's Daughters of the Trinity Lutheran church will meet tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. E. R. Floto in Race street.

Fancywork Club to Meet

Mrs. Mattie Richter will entertain the Vanderbijl Fancywork club Wednesday at her home in Crawford avenue, West Side.

B. P. U. Officers

The B. P. U. of the First Baptist church yesterday elected the following officers: William Coleman, president; Berwin Herbert, vice president; Gladys Kregger, secretary; Beisel treasurer; Grace Workman, pianist; Gladys Rush, assistant pianist. The Fall Rally of the Union will be held next Sunday night and a big attendance is expected.

Methodist News

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold an apron and food sale Thursday afternoon and evening from 1 to 3 o'clock at the church annex. Articles for the sale may be left at Horner's store.

Bible Class to Meet

The T. J. Hooper Bible class of the First Presbyterian church will meet this evening in the class room. Important business will be transacted and a good attendance is desired. The refreshment committee is composed of the following members: Mrs. J. M. Young, Mrs. J. H. Osborn, Mrs. E. K. Treher, Mrs. W. A. Allen, Mrs. D. K. Dilworth and Miss Luella Ogilvie.

Needleworkers to Meet

The regular meeting of the West Side Needleworkers will be held Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Sheridan May in South Connellsville. The members are asked to leave here on the 7 o'clock street car.

Maccabee Meeting

The regular meeting of the Woman's Maccabee association of the Maccabees will be held tomorrow evening in Market hall. A large attendance is desired.

Will Elect Officers

Athens Temple No. 30, Pythian Sisters, will meet tonight in Odd Fellows hall. The annual election of officers will take place and a large attendance of members is desired.

PERSONAL

Carl Smith came from Pittsburgh to spend the week-end. By genuine Edison's sets, lamps, Frank Sweeney, 102 South Pittsburgh street, Adv-22-23. Ralph Hunt was a visitor on Saturday.

Have you bought your Christmas gift yet?

If not, why not buy some thing that will be useful and appreciated at the same time. Down's Shoe Store offers you the best selection in town in footwear. Adv-12-11.

Prof. E. A. Fuller, who has been in the service of the Y. M. C. A. for some time, was calling on Connellsville

To Fortify the System Against Grip

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets which destroy germs, act as a tonic and laxative, and thus prevent Colds, Grip and Influenza. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." W. GROVE'S signature on the box.

"SPLENDID" IS THE TERM MRS. SARAH NESBAUM USES

Zanesville Sufferer Has the Best of Reasons for Praising Nerv-Worth.

As this enthusiastic endorser is 75 years old the following signed statement, made a few days ago, is a reassuring message to aged, ailing folks in particular, while offering strong proof of Nerv-Worth merits to sufferers in general:

Nerv-Worth Co.—I have been using your valuable tonic for some time and find it does me more good than any medicine I have ever taken. Have been troubled with stomach and nerves for some time and Nerv-Worth has greatly relieved the distress. I think it is a splendid tonic.

SARAH V. NESBAUM

128 Van Buren St., Zanesville, O.
The Connellsville Drug Store and the Broadway (Scottdale) sell Nerv-Worth—Adv.

from Ohio Wesleyan university at Delaware, Ohio, for the holiday vacation.

Miss Dorcas Hill and Miss Martha Miller of Scottdale and Miss Miriam Delawier of Uniontown will return the latter part of the week.

Miss Catherine Richter saw "Listen Lester," at the Nixon theatre, Pittsburgh, Saturday night.

Mrs. H. C. Hoffman is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

American Legion Minstrel December 17-18. Get seats early at Connellsville Drug Company.

Mrs. Charles Collins of Ohioville is shopping here today.

Mrs. James Scott of Ursula is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Cunningham of Vine street.

Misses Anne and Catherine King of Pittsburgh are visiting Connellsville friends. Miss Anne King recently graduated from the nurses' training school of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore.

Ask the other dealers the price of Genuine Rogers-1847 Silver, 28 pieces in a beautiful chest, and they remember our special price of \$18.25. The amount we save you on this article is the same proportionate amount saved on each purchase at this store.

Community Jewelry Shop, 141 West Crawford Ave., 2 doors below West Penn station. Adv-15-16.

Mrs. George H. Mason of Erie has arrived here to visit her mother, Mrs. M. L. Griffin of Isabella road and Cedar avenue, until after Christmas. Later she will be joined by Mr. Mason who will also spend Christmas here.

Mrs. William McElroy and Master Jack Ellen of Wilkingsburg are guests at the home of Mrs. J. M. Herpich in East Crawford avenue.

Mrs. Edward Sweeney and daughter, Miss Nelle, of South Eighth street, Greenwood, arrived home Saturday night from Philadelphia, where they were called by the death of Louis Roseman, a nephew of Mr. Sweeney.

Huge Map of City

Joseph A. Mason, the real estate agent is having hung in his office in the Second National bank building a new blueprint map showing every lot, street and alley of record in Connellsville, South Connellsville and East Connellsville and some that are not of record. The map has been put together in sections, largely from prints made by the late James B. Hogg. It measures 10 feet in length by five and a half in width.

Party for Miss Moore

A party in honor of Miss Elizabeth Moore of Liberty was held Tuesday evening at her home. Luncheon, at which covers for 12 were laid, was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Moore and family, Miss Nellie Connel of Dawson; Bert Herbert, Earl Newell, and L. A. Lint of Hulltown, and Miss Grace Hyatt of Dickerson Run.

Dinner at Leisnering

On account of the Legion minstrel in Connellsville on Wednesday night, the 17th, the date for the dance in the Big Hall at Leisnering No. 1 has been changed to Monday, 15th. All lovers of dancing are invited. Kiefer's orchestra, with Kiefer in person, will furnish the music. Leisnering Athletic Association. Adv-15-14.

Infant Pneumonia Victim

Marguerite, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fullen of Normalville, died yesterday of pneumonia. The funeral was held this afternoon from the United Brethren church at Normalville.

Dance at Leisnering Tonight

The dance which was to have been held in the Big Hall at Leisnering on Wednesday night will be conducted tonight so as not to conflict with the American Legion Minstrel here.

To Fortify The System Against Colds, Grip and Influenza

Take "Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets"

Be sure you get the Genuine Look for this signature

C. W. Grove

on the box. 30c

SEAT RESERVATIONS INDICATE BIG HOUSES FOR MINSTREL

Continued from Page One.

The program follows:

FIRST PART.

Master of Ceremonies—J. Montgomery Dilworth.
Kitchen Police—Russell Rollins, Lloyd McClelland, Carl Floto, Andrew Trombley, Harry Percy, Irving Snow, Frank Duffin, Don Campbell.
Ballads—Percy J. Murphy, Ray McClintock, Herbert Duggan, George Reed.
Chorus—Harry Mason, Edward Watson, John Kaufman, Howard Yarn, John Forwalt, John Ranker, Paul Brickman, John Kincaid, Thomas W. Scott.
Bugler—Albert Noschese.
"Star Spangled Banner," overture, Kiefer's orchestra.

Bugle call—Assembly—(Note)—At sundown in any Army camp in the United States or Europe this call will be heard. It is a signal for all men to get ready for a formation which is the most solemn and most beautiful of the whole day.

Bugle call—Assembly—(Note)—After this call the men come to attention and are formed by the first sergeant in what is known as "company front." After this is completed the sergeant turns the company over to the Officer for the Day.

Bugle Call—Retreat—(Note)—The company comes to attention and remains so until the end of call, when it is dismissed by the first sergeant. This being the last formation of the day the boys decide to amuse themselves by giving a minstrel show.

"Take Me to the Land of Jazz," Harry Percy; "Buddy," George Reed; "I Don't Want a Doctor," Irving Snow; "Boy of Mine," Percy J. Murphy; "High Brown Babies' Ball," Lloyd McClelland; "Sahara," Herbert Duggan; "O Death, Where is Thy Sting," Russell Rollins; "I'll Sing You a Song About Dear Old Dixie Land," Ray McClintock.

Bugle call—call to quarters. Note—At about 9:30 P. M. this call is heard and it is a signal for all men to get ready to retire and go to their quarters. The boys take advantage of this brief intermission and decide to have some vaudeville acts which consist of the following:

SECOND PART

Overture—Orchestra.
Act 1—Novelty Act—Shoff Brothers, Byron and Bert.

Act 2—A few minutes with Irving Snow (The Colored Parson).
Act 3—Lighting landscape artist, Ir. Palmer, assisted by Harry Percy, the porter.

Act 4—A three minute talk—an appeal for members—Thomas W. Scott.

Act 5—Those overseas musical boys—Foltz and McClelland.

Act 6—That Oriental, Malden, in dances of the Sultan's gardens, John Kincaid.

Harry Lauder's Masterpiece—Lloyd McClelland.

Exit March—Orchestra.

Notice

Holiday Sale of Millinery. One lot of hats at half the former price. A generous reduction on Models, Hatters, Plush, Sailors, Velours and Untrimmed shapes at McFarland's, Second Floor, Title & Trust Bldg., Adv-15-14.

Phonograph Gas & Oil Co.

Buy stock in a company owning a five million foot well. Wells about to be drilled and 20 locations. A limited number of shares for sale at par, \$100. Mr. Porter, representative, at Smith House. Adv-15-14.

The Grim Reaper

MRS. ROSE GOE BAILEY.

Mrs. Rose Goe Bailey, widow of Captain John D. Bailey of Pittsburgh, and well known in Connellsville, died Saturday night at 11:30 o'clock at her home, 2362 California avenue, Pittsburgh. The deceased had been in frail health for some time, but her death came as a shock to her relatives and friends, her late illness being of brief duration. Mrs. Bailey was born in the old Goe homestead near Brownsville, still in the possession of the family, a daughter of the late Henry B. and Catherine Stowell Goe. She resided in Pittsburgh the greater part of her life, her family having removed to that city when she was in her early girlhood. Mrs. Bailey was an active member of the Christian church since her girlhood, her ancestors having been pioneer members of that denomination. The deceased is survived by one daughter, Miss Mary A. Campbell, at home; a son, Charles S., of Pittsburgh; 190 sisters and 100 brothers, all at home; and Miss Laura Goe, at home, and Mrs. Emily G. Gans of Uniontown. She was a sister of the late Mrs. John Newcomer of Connellsville, an aunt of Mrs. William O. Foley of Connellsville and of Mrs. L. P. Ruth of Washington, D. C., formerly of Connellsville, a cousin of Mrs. H. C. Frisbee and Mrs. George Blackstone, both of Connellsville township. She is also survived by a number of nieces.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, followed by private interment in Pittsburgh on Thursday.

Mrs. Foley and family, Mrs. H. C. Frisbee and L. P. Ruth expect to attend the funeral.

GEORGE W. KELLEY.

The funeral of George W. Kelley, who died Saturday morning at his home in Dunbar township of pneumonia, was held this morning at 10 o'clock, with Rev. W. P. Russell, pastor of the Laurel Hill Presbyterian church, officiating. Interment in Laurel Hill cemetery. The deceased was a carpenter by trade and was well known in the community where he resided. He is survived by his widow and seven children.

JOHN A. SWEARINGEN.

John A. Swearingen, 61 years old, a former resident of Fayette county, died suddenly at his home in Kansas City, Mo., of pneumonia. The deceased was a son of the late Daniel and Mary

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Announcement

Wish to announce to the public that I have added a New Book and Stationery Department to our News Depot at 117 West Apple street, where I intend to carry a full line of up-to-date Books, Stationery and Office Supplies. Would be pleased to have you call and make our acquaintance.

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NEWS OF THE DAY AT MT. PLEASANT BRIEFLY RELATED

Special Meeting of Firemen Tuesday Night; Secretary Sharah to Attend.

MRS. FRICK IS BURIED HERE

Brought From Ronco to Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. Thomas Easton; Dress Rehearsal for "Katcha Koo" Is Held; Co. E Memorial Discussed.

Special to The Courier.
MOUNT PLEASANT, Dec. 15.—A special firemen's meeting will be held Tuesday evening when the annual election will be held. W. H. Sharah, secretary of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's association, will be present.

Buried Here.
The body of Mrs. E. M. Frick, which was brought here from Ronco to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Easton, was buried in the Mount Pleasant cemetery on Saturday morning following funeral services at 10:30 o'clock. Mrs. Frick is 76 years old and is survived by the following children: Mrs. J. G. Joehner, Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Carrie Greenwood, Waltersburg; Mrs. Thomas Easton, Mrs. Jessie Harris and Mrs. A. S. McWhiting all of this place, and Mrs. David Roonsbell, Scotland.

Dress Rehearsal.
Dress rehearsal of "Katcha Koo" was held in the Grand Opera House yesterday. Seats have been placed on sale at Morrison's jewelry store.

Memorial Discussed.

Another meeting of the surviving members of Company E was held at the armory yesterday afternoon to complete arrangements for the memorial tablet and pictures.

FOGGY?

If Bilious, Constipated or Headachy take "Cascarets."

Tomorrow the sun will shine for you. Everything will seem clear, rosy and bright. Your system is filled with liver and bowel poison which keeps your skin sallow, your stomach upset, your head lousy and aching. Your meals are turning into poison, gases and acids. You can't feel right. Don't stay bilious or constipated. Feel splendid always by taking Cascarets occasionally. They act without griping or inconvenience. They never sicken you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or nasty, harsh pills. They cost so little too—Cascarets work while you sleep.—Adv.

Perryopolis.

PERRYOPOLIS, Dec. 15.—Leland Potter was a business caller in Charleroi Friday.

Ira Blair was transacting business in Pittsburg Saturday.

William M. Blair has returned to his home in Belle Vernon.

Mrs. Frank Townsend left town Friday to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. C. Cotton of Oakmont.

Mrs. Lillian Stewart was calling on friends in Star Junction Saturday.

Otis Carpenter and Henry George of Connelville were transacting business in town Friday.

Mrs. Elias Welmer was shopping in Pittsburg Saturday.

Miss Lena Lehart of Belle Vernon is visiting at the home of Miss Lorraine Sisley.

Dr. Crisab left town Saturday for a three weeks' stay in Connelville.

John Buttermore was in Scotland Saturday attending the funeral of his brother-in-law, John Doober.

Miss Pauline Baldwin was a Pittsburg shopper Saturday.

Joseph Essington and Jesse Lynn were in McKeesport Saturday.

Mrs. Raymond Strickler spent the week-end in Monaca.

J. Brown and Mr. Ray of Charleroi were visiting friends in town Saturday.

Walter Cough of Greensburg was transacting business in town Friday.

William C. Keck motored to Greensburg Friday.

President Improves.

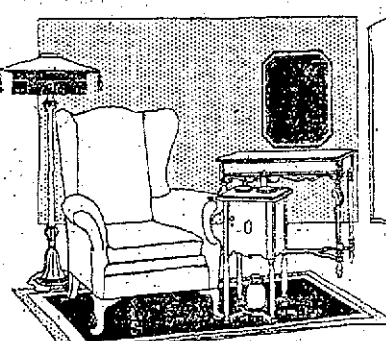
WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—President Wilson is permitted to walk about his room and along the adjoining hall here for a short time each day.

Do your Christmas shopping now.

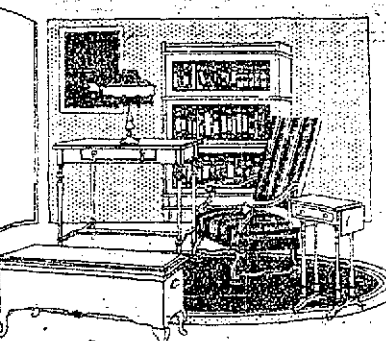
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A Lasting Gift for the Home that Combines Artistic Beauty with Comfort!

This Three-Piece Genuine KARPEN Cane Living Room Suite—an exceptional value at only **\$295.00**

A Gift of this character will long be appreciated and enjoyed by every member of the family. The frames are mahogany and the backs are made of the best grade of Cane—KARPENESQUE quality construction throughout. The upholstering is in velour of a pleasing design. We are also showing a variety of other styles.

A Davenport Table will surely Please!

One of these dainty Davenport Tables will be a practical addition to your Home. There are many styles and period designs to choose from.

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One of the famous KARPEN quality products—this Davenport will give a lifetime of luxurious comfort. It is heavily upholstered and is of the KARPENESQUE coil spring construction throughout. The frame is mahogany and the upholstering is in a beautiful, figured tapestry of the finest grade.

A Gift that "She" will Cherish!

This Mahogany Spinet Desk—An Ideal Gift for "Her"—at **\$42.50**

In the popular Queen Anne Period design. Has five compartments and drawer, a deep writing bed and a fold-up top. This is but one of the many styles we are showing.

This Mahogany Smoking Stand

We have others priced as low as **\$1.95**

A "Hope Chest" for Sister or Sweetheart is a Gift that's always very Highly Prized!

One of these genuine Red Tennessee Cedar Chests is a Gift that will long be a reminder of your thoughtfulness. There are many styles and sizes to choose from—all are moth-proof, dust-proof and moisture-proof. You'll enjoy seeing this display.

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One of these genuine "Royal Easy" Chairs with adjustable, reclining back and foot rest, will make the ideal Gift for "Dad." Various styles and finishes.

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A very elaborate and complete display to choose from. All new, stunning creations in beautiful patterns and designs.

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A Tea Wagon!

Here's an article that every Housewife should have and would appreciate—a Tea Wagon to help serve her meals.

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The Gift Supreme—Will Save Her Hours of Toil and Miles of Steps!

Every Housewife wants a Hoosier!

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Hoosier brings many vital conveniences—time and labor-savers—not to be found elsewhere. It is the result of many years of kitchen experience; every worthy device is included.

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- Tables
- Automobiles
- Rockers
- Doll Carts and Carriages (Various styles, size and finishes)
- Rocking Ducks

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This Little Miss, there are Doll Carriages in many different styles and sizes. Priced as low as \$3.75

This Shoofly—or Rocking Duck—a Special Value at \$4.75

This is a Gift that will appeal to every child.

This Solid Oak Writing Desk—with Chair to match—Special at \$8.50

This Substantially Built Solid Oak Child's Rocker—a Special Value at \$1.25

This Table and Four Chairs Specially Priced at \$10.75

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MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 15, 1919.

RESPONSIBILITY HAS NOT BEEN SHIFTED.

Bluster as much as they may the
Democratic organs and party leaders
cannot divert the public mind from
the fact that President Wilson has
not and cannot "shift" the responsi-
bility to "other shoulders" for the de-
lay in the ratification of the peace
treaty.

It is well known, even if not admit-
ted by the President's ardent sup-
porters, that the responsibility for
the treaty including the league coven-
ant is with the President, where it
was when he signed the document
with all of its loopholes for the in-
vasion by European powers of Ameri-
can rights and prerogatives. The
President is the official who is respon-
sible for blocking ratification because
he did not want reservations made
that would Americanize the instru-
ment. The Senate could not con-
scientiously ratify the treaty in its
un-American form and there are no
signs in prospect that it will change
its attitude.

Ratification has been possible, and
can now be obtained, by President
Wilson passing the word to Senator
Hitchcock, the Administration leader
in the Senate, that he will accept the
League reservations, or the real and
vital substance of them. But from
the public utterances of Senator
Hitchcock the public has gained the
impression that he has been kept in
the dark as to how far President Wil-
son would go, although the senator
has made the statement that "certain
reservations are inevitable." But in
doing so Senator Hitchcock has given
expression to his personal view that
there should be an adjustment of
differences necessary to affect a ratifi-
cation, rather than speaking for the
President on the question.

As the matter now stands the re-
sponsibility for delay in withdrawing
the treaty and resubmitting in order
to bring it before the Senate accord-
ing to parliamentary usages, rests
nowhere else than in the White House.
And the President cannot evade it no
matter what form his disclaimer may
be given. Nor will the country fail
to understand why there is delay on
part of the Senate to act. Neither
will the people be fooled by the efforts
of the partisans of the Administration
to make it appear the Senate is to be
blamed because it refused to accept
the treaty without first providing ade-
quate protection of American rights
thereunder. The responsibility has
been placed where it belongs and
where it will remain until the President
sees his way clear to agree to a treaty
in the form Americans insist it shall
be given.

HAS THE PUBLIC BEEN FOOLED IN THE STRIKE SETTLEMENT?

There is apparently more in the set-
tlement of the coal-miners' strike than
the public knows about. At least there
is ground for the suspicion that all
the terms and conditions under which the
14 per cent advance was accepted have
not been revealed, except to the
leaders of the miners' union.

In this connection a statement made
by President Howard of the Kansas
branch of the United Mine Workers is
very significant. At the opening of the
Indianapolis conference President
Howard opposed the acceptance of
President Wilson's form of settlement,
but later favored it. His change of atti-
tude was presumably the result of
explanations made to him by the offi-
cials who had conferred with Presi-
dent Wilson. "President Lewis and
Secretary Green," said President
Howard, "promised us that when the
President's proposal is put in opera-
tion the results will be better than
under that proposal, the miners will
not only have received the 31 per cent
Secretary Wilson proposed, but there
will be improved working conditions."

If, as this statement very plainly
implies, the miners' officials were
given by President Wilson to under-
stand that an additional advance is to
be provided by the President's three-
man tribunal, both the operators and
the public will have to face a situa-
tion wholly different from what was
supposed to result from the so-called
"settlement." In other words, the
questions which were supposed to
have been settled by the "settlement"
have been settled only in part.

That the 14 per cent advance was
but preliminary to the grant of a still
larger increase, as well as a higher
price for coal, is being rather bluntly
revealed in announcements sent out
from Washington, of which the follow-
ing is a sample:

"In many quarters in Washington
there is general disposition to expect
that President Wilson's tribunal com-
posed as it will be of one operator, one
miner and one representative of the
public is likely to give the miners an

additional increase in wages and the
operators' authority to raise coal
prices to take up the wage advance."

If the proposition accepted at In-
dianapolis provided only for a 14 per
cent advance, as Dr. Garfield has him-
self fixed as the limit to be paid, it is
reasonable to suppose the fuel admini-
strator would have given his assent
to it. That he refused to join in the
proposition very naturally suggests
that it comprised additional features
or conditions which were repugnant
to his sense of fairness to the opera-
tors and the public. It also explains
why he insisted upon prompt relief
from his duties as fuel administrator.
Dr. Garfield's action and the state-
ment of President Howard very clearly
point to a confirmation of the surmise
that the settlement contained more
than was apparent upon its face. These
circumstances also indicate that the
miners' officials, through whose ef-
forts assent to the settlement was
secured against very vigorous opposi-
tion by some members of the strike
committee, had been given assurances
with respect to further advances
which President Wilson and Attorney
General Palmer, for reasons best
known to themselves, have not made
public.

Under the circumstances, and in
view of the developments following
the Indianapolis conference, the ques-
tion is being asked: Has the public
been fooled by a "settlement" condi-
tioned upon a secret agreement with
the miners' leaders to secure another
wage advance and still higher prices
for coal?

With an alderman in every ward the
city should be on its guard against
after the first of the year.

Even the price of liberty from jail
has found a place in the list of things
for those who are charged with being
responsible for high prices on a high
point near the city limits where reput-
ed "high brow" reside.

Will Washington charge the weather-
man, as it has charged the coal
operators, with being in league with
the miners to keep up the price of
coal?

Some subscribers to the Fayette
County War Chest seem to think that
organization is more in need of a book-
keeper than a collector.

There is a bare possibility that some
Connellsvilleans are taking more inter-
est in McKeesport than they will get
out of their investments there.

We rather suspect it is a little too
early to stand a fair chance of buying
a suit of clothes at a "fair" price in
Chicago or anywhere else.

"No compromise, no concession" at
the White House means, no treaty; no
League of Nations on Capitol Hill.

Having dared to say that the settle-
ment of the coal strike is "fundamen-
tally wrong as a matter of govern-
ment," is it all surprising that Dr.
Garfield's resignation was accepted so
promptly?

"You can shop both early and late
now and not violate any government
regulations. But you will violate the
confidence of the kiddies if you do
neither."

Stick to the Movies, Mr. McAdoo.
Manufacturers Record.
Mr. McAdoo made such a dismal fail-
ure in the operation of the railroads,
and his statements as to how economi-
cally would obviate the necessity of
increasing freight rates, proved so
blunderingly erroneous, that the coun-
try does not pay serious attention to
any other statements he now makes as
to coal or anything else.

How England Handles Profiteers.

The London Times.
At Plymouth, Henry Prior, a butcher,
was fined \$250 and also had to pay
\$17.75 costs for overcharges on lamb,
mutton and suet.

HAS UNUSUAL ALIBI.

Listening to Phonograph at Time of
Crime, Blister Man Testifies.

The statement by Nathan Barrow of
Bitner before a jury in Uniontown this
morning that at the time he was
charged by Harry Green with the theft
of five hams from Green's smokehouse
Barrow was at home listening to the
strains of "Tve Got the Alcoholic
Blues" on the phonograph was suffi-
cient to prompt the jury to declare
him not guilty.

The defendant said he distinctly
recalled that he had the blues and
that he was fading asleep in the music
of the talking machine.

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Bring results. Cost only to a word.

Just Folks

Edgar A. Guest.

THE SMUGGLER.

There's a thrill of high excitement
—I imagine this is true.
When the skipper of a vessel tries to
run a blockade line.
And it must be a very business when
an outlaw tries to get
His stock of crooked plunder through
the traps the law has set—
But for genuine excitement and for
thrills of real surprise.
Just try smuggling Christmas bundles
past a flock of little eyes!

OK, I've often sat and marvelled at the
tricks of Captain Kidd
And I've thought about his shrewdness
as I've read of things he did.
If he'd ever faced a blockade such as
now is nightly mine
And had tried to get his plunder past
that sharp and youthful line.

I have tried my best to fool 'em and
I've plotted and I've planned
To escape their ceaseless vigil with
my Christmas contraband.
I've approached my humble dwelling
like a thief who comes at night.
And have peeked through many a
window to be sure the time was right
And I've left with friendly bushes
magic marvels made of tin.
Until all the watchers slumbered and
'twas safe to get them in.

I'm a smuggler, I confess it. I'm a
blockade runner, too.
In the attic now is plunder that I'm
hoarding out of view.
I've gone by with sleds and footbals
and with dolls and picture books,
But to do it I've been humbled to the
devious ways of crooks.
But I'm proud of all my scheming
and the shameful things I've done,
For I hold that Christmas smuggling
is the finest sort of fun.

Looking Backward

News of the Past Con-
tained from the Files of
The Courier.

DECEMBER 8, 1899.

Detailed report of the Connellsville
coke trade for the week ending De-
cember 2 shows a total of 19,408 tons
in the region of which 18,123 are in
blast and 997 idle, with an estimated
production of 19,453 tons.
Walter Washington, charged with the
murder of Benjamin Johnson of
Broad Ford, on the night of October
23, is found guilty in the second ut-
terance.

Thomas, Michael and John Costello,
aged 11, nine and seven years, sons of
Benjamin Costello, and John Joseph
Whelan, 12 and seven years, sons of
James Whelan, are terribly burned
when they find a keg of powder in the
Baltimore & Ohio yards and set fire to
it.

Mrs. Hannah Murphy is run down by
a coaster in East Fayette street and
suffers the fracture of an arm.

Triplets, two boys and a girl, are
born to Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Kobala
of Lehigh.

The Title & Trust Company of West-
ern Pennsylvania, Connellsville, and the
Fayette Title & Trust Company, In-
dianapolis, are organized. The capital
of the local institution is \$250,000,
with the following subscribers for the
same:

J. H. Humber, John D. Frisbie, Lloyd
Johnston, W. A. Davidson, Robert Nor-
ris, E. T. Norton, H. P. Ray, H. C.
Hunt, Joseph Sisson, W. F. Sisson,
J. D. Madigan, S. R. Slaymaker, John
Newcomer, J. R. Davidson, John Bar-
ge, and L. Kendall, Connellsville; and
W. Mellon, A. C. Knox and W. M.
Ruth of Pittsburgh; Edward K. Dick of
Greensburg, and Joseph R. Stauffer of
Scranton.

Henry Clay Frick retires from the
active management of the Carnegie
Steel company.

William J. McKenna, 21 years old, of
Broad Ford, loses three toes when his
foot catches in a frog and a train, on
where a horse coupling cars, passes
over his foot.

R. H. Gordon, Cumberland, Md., de-
livers the address at the annual mem-
orial service of Connellsville lodge of
Elks. J. M. Doyle is the orator read-
ing at the time.

Accident notices are issued in Un-
iontown as follows: Elmer K. Mus-
selman of Altoona, and Sarah Gray of
Connellsville township; John Olinora
and Mary McDowell, both of Dunbar.
John C. Edwards of McKeesport, and
Hannah King of Adelphi; Nathaniel
Stuck and Florence McKee.

Perryopolis, Peter Ernst and Elizabeth
Hoover, both of Dawson; Charles Miller
and Ethel Lint, both of Connellsville;
Albert T. Smith of Fayette township;
Fannie Glover of Stewart township;
George W. McKibbin of Jacobs Creek,
and Myrtle Sutton of Heywoodtown.

Mrs. Mary T. Russell, 71 years old,
dies at her home in Green street.

Mrs. Margaret May O'Connor, 18
years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Bernard O'Connor, dies at the O'Connor
home at Lehigh.

A. R. Cook, 18 years old, Baltimore
and McKeesport, dies at his home in
New Haven.

The license for the Dean House is
transferred to Andrew Hays.

Miss Minerva Johnson is married to
L. A. Simmons, driver for the Chicago
Daily company. Rev. W. R. Warren of
the Christian church officiating.

John Dugan, Jr., is seriously ill
with appendicitis. An operation will
be performed.

James McKenna, known as "Uncle
Jimmie," by those with whom he served
in the Philippines, is transferred
from the Union Supply company's
store at Uniontown to the store at
Scranton.

Mrs. Abigail Pugh, who resides near
Ward's Creek, Pa., had her 102nd
birthday anniversary. She was born at
Addison and when yet a child her father
moved to a point near Connellsville.

Three daughters, Mrs. George Alley,
Mrs. John Coughenour and Mrs. Rachel
Swank, live near Connellsville.

The church of the new St. John's
Slovak Catholic church, Main street,
New Haven, is laid. Peter Ritsack of
the firm of Bufano and Ritsack, bankers
is chief marshal of the new church.

A feature of the occasion. Eighteen
priests are in attendance among them
being Fathers John E. Burns and
Walter Grodzicki, Rev. E. Gajdosh of
New Haven; P. B. Kenna, Union-
town, and Father Murphy of Dunbar.

DECEMBER 9, 1909.

Detailed report of the Connellsville
coke trade for the week ending De-
cember 4 shows a total of 28,227 tons
in the region, of which 26,123 are in
blast and 2,104 idle, with an estimated
production of 44,510 tons.

Buckwheat sells in the local market
at Fayette at 40 cents a bushel.

John Barr, Jr., 21 years old, son of
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barr, formerly of
Connellsville, dies in Glasgow.

Jacob Green, Methodist Episcopal
church, near Scottsdale, one of the old-
est churches in that section, has its
first marriage of a couple, with
the marriage of Miss Viola New-
ingham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Har-
vey Newingham and Jacob L. Koenig,
both of Scottsdale.

Rev. Archibald
Auld, pastor of the church, and Rev.
E. G. Sawyer of Youngwood, officiate.
Mrs. Mary E. Collins, 67 years old,
dies at the home of her daughter, Mrs.
Isaac Rude on Second street.

Camp Walter E. Brown, Philippine
veteran, 67 years old, dies at his home,
Commander, H. O. Walker, senior vice com-
mander, L. Durst, junior vice com-
mander, William Templeton, adjutant,
J. C. Horvick, quartermaster, John M.
Martin, chaplain, Harry L. Bishop, of-
ficer of the day, T. R. Cunningham, of-
ficer of the guard, W. E. DeBolt, bug-
ler, M. C. Gervin.

William W. Baisley, 17 years old, son of
William R. Baisley of Connellsville
township, dies at the College State
hospital following an operation.

The five-year-old daughter of Ben-
ton Johnson loses her life when the
house of Simon Porterfield, near Jones
ville, is burned to the ground.

Samuel Ruten, a former Fayette
pioneer, and brother of Frank Ruten,
both of Connellsville, die at
Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. Bertha Wilson, wife of J. P.
Ruten, formerly of Meyer, dies at Cal-
ifornia, Pa.

While on a visit to her daughter,
Mrs. A. J. Leonard of Pittsburgh, Mrs.
Mary Steinhilber, 82 years old, of South
Connellsville, dies very suddenly.

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WANTED—FOUR BARBERING
business MEN.

WANTED—WHEN YOU WANT IN-
surance phone 160. 15c-17c.

WANTED—FURNISHED ROOM FOR
renting. O. F. Thomas, 205
Davidson Ave. 15c-17c.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PASTRY
cook. Good wages. Nantahalla Cafe.
15c-17c.

WANTED—SECOND TRICK COOK
and waitress. Cupp's Restaurant.
15c-17c.

WANTED—LABORERS AT ONCE.
Apply Superintendent Sisco 17c-19c.
Steel Co. 15c-17c.

WANTED—GIRL TO WORK IN
Studio. Radio Studio, 1312 Pitts-
burg street. 15c-17c.

Abe Martin



The Little Gem Sax is closed today
as the saxophone player isn't feeling
very well.
While were departing the Reds let's
say in a few words.
Copyright National Newspaper Service

Wanted.

WANTED—CLEAN WIPING RAGS
at Courier Company. 15c-17c.

WANTED—MAN FOR NIGHT
work. Cupp's Restaurant. 15c-17c.

WANTED—TWO BOYS TO LEARN
trade. Windell Aircraft Company.
606 Second National Bank Bldg. 15c-17c.

WANTED—Four Carpenters that
can work on fine work. Windell Aircraft
Co., 606 Second National Bank Bldg. 15c-17c.

WANTED—FOUR SHEET METAL
workers. Windell Aircraft Company,
606 Second National Bank Bldg. 15c-17c.

WANTED—TWO FILERS ACCUS-
tomed to fine work. Windell Aircraft
Company, 606 Second National Bank
Bldg. 15c-17c.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL
work in Confectionery store and lunch
room. O. F. Thomas, South Connellsville.
15c-17c.

WANTED—SEVERAL CARPEN-
ters for inside repair work on cars.
Good steady position. Apply Master
Mechanics, West Penn Railway Co.
15c-17c.

WANTED—THREE WAGONS LOW
down, suitable for milk routes.
Farmers' Cooperative Dairy Abs-
Tri-State 624. Bell 224. Uniontown. 15c-17c.

WANTED—AGENTS, \$9 TO \$12
daily selling New Fibre Brooms; every
woman will buy. Samples by return
post. \$5 cents. Combination Broom
Co., Elmira, N. Y. 15c-17c.

WANTED—SOMEBODY TO BUY FUL-
liture for 3 rooms. Practically new
and first class. If you need furniture
at a bargain this is an exceptional op-
portunity. Address "X" care Courier.
15c-17c.

WANTED—LABORERS, SLAG
dump, Vanderbilts, Pa. 40c per hour.
10-hour day. Boarding accommoda-
tions. Apply Crawford and Galtard.
No. 308 First National Bank, or to
Superintendent on job. 15c-17c.

WANTED—ALL AUTO OWNERS IN
this city to see the world's leading
"Can't Break" Spark Plug. This plug
guaranteed life of the car. At Edward
Baer Hardware Store, West Crawford
Ave., West Side. 15c-17c.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—STOREROOM NEAR
corner Crawford Ave. and Sixth street.
Inquire Florence Smutz. 15c-17c.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS
for light housekeeping. 111 East Pat-
terson. 15c-17c.

FOR RENT—ONE NEWLY FUR-
nished room. Inquire 401 South Pitts-
burg St. 15c-17c.

FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED
rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire
404 South Pittsburgh St. 15c-17c.

FOR RENT—LARGE STOREROOM
on Crawford avenue and First street,
\$25 per month. Sweeney, 606 Second
National Bank Building. 15c-17c.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—ONE MEAT GRINDER
and slicer, one land press, hot plate,
gas stove and step ladder. Call Tri-
State 593. 15c-17c.

FOR SALE—BUILDING LOT, 40x120,
Ninth street, Greenwood. Paved street
and sidewalk. Will sell right. See
Alice Chinn, Penn Traffic St. 15c-17c.

Merry Christmas Everybody

Here are a few Footwear Suggestions for Christmas,
and you couldn't select more appropriate Gifts, if you sat
up nights to think of something.

For Men

A pair of our choice Shoes, a pair of Comfort Shoes for tender
feet, Storm Shoes, Dress Shoes, Dress Pumps, Slippers, Bath Room
Slippers, Rubbers, Arctics, Rubber Boots, etc., etc.

For Women

Street Boots, Storm Boots, Handsome Dress Boots, a pair of
our dainty Pumps, or Slippers, Rubbers, Overgaiters, Storm Gaiters
or Leggings.

For Boys and Girls

Dress Shoes, School Shoes, Storm Shoes, Leggings, Rubbers, Rub-
ber Boots, etc., etc.

For Little Tots

Jockey Boots, Natural Shape Shoes, Sandals, or a pair of good
Leggings, etc., etc.

Fill the stockings with Footwear and you'll do a very
wise thing. We will make any exchanges desired after
Christmas. We're yours for useful Christmas Gifts!

Crowley-Mestrezat Co.

113 W. Crawford Avenue, Connellsville, Pa.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—SEVEN USED PIANOS,
\$100 up. Fine condition. Peter
Wagner. 15c-17c.

FOR SALE—FOUR SECOND HAND
Pianos. \$100 up. Open evenings.
Peter B. Wagner. 15c-17c.

FOR SALE—PONY AND SADDLE,
also buggy and harness. Templeton
Bakery, No. 289 Fairview Ave. 15c-17c.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE FOR BED
room, living room, dining room. Prac-
tically new. Address "X" care Courier.
15c-17c.

FOR SALE—FORD CAR IN GOOD
condition to be sacrificed to right
buyer. Call Miller's Store, Scottsdale,
Pa. 15c-17c.

FOR SALE—ROOM HOUSE, BATH,
paved street, 2 large corner lots. Re-
duced to \$4500.00 for quick sale. Part
cash. S. Wesley Metz, Second National
Bank Bldg.—Bell 444. Tri-State 144.
15c-17c.

FOR SALE—CANARY BIRDS GIVE
something different. Nothing like a
beautiful singing canary to bring cheer
and happiness into the home. A
possible gift that will be most great-
fully received. Special price for one
week only \$12.50, only a few more left.
A. Hoch, Everson, Pa. Bell phone 274-R.
15c-17c.

FOR SALE—ADDING MACHINE,
check protector, morris chair, small
colored porch set, stand, swing and
hammock, nursery fenders, gas stove,
one \$20 "Regina" copper, largest size
gas stove for two dollars. Fifteen
other gramophone for \$7.50, pictures,
etc., all half price. Wislens, Black-
stone Road, third door off Ninth street.
15c-17c.

Strayed.

At the Theatres.

THE SOISSON.

"THE RIGHT TO HAPPINESS" Allen Hobbar's production, with Dorothy Phillips, the celebrated emotional actress, in the leading role, is a big attraction today.

In preparing for the filming of "The Right to Happiness" the director had to accomplish one of the hardest tasks in the motion picture profession—that of finding two babies, both of whom will photograph perfectly and who will synchronize their movements to the satisfaction of the director.

In producing "The Right to Happiness" Hobbar had to obtain a set of twins to show the childhood days of Dorothy Phillips, who plays a dual role in the picture. Hobbar obtained all of Southern California before he finally found a pair of youngsters who could do the parts satisfactorily. They were finally obtained through the industry of a member of the publicity department who had a city hall newspaper reporter check over the health records for three years back to discover what Southern Californians had become the parents of twins.

A list was given to Hobbar's assistant director, and the latter spent three days with an automobile visiting families with twins before he finally found little Esther and Rachel Moline, of Alhambra, California.

THE FARMHOUSE.

"GOLDEN SHADOWS"—A splendid attraction. With Gladys Leslie, the captivating Vitaphone star, in a delightful role, is being shown today and tomorrow. The picture is one of the best in which Miss Leslie has ever appeared and is one that will please all members of the family. A selected comedy is also being shown.

On Wednesday H. B. Warner will be starred in "Fugitive from Matrimony."

75 HENS LAY 40 EGGS A DAY INSTEAD OF 4

The Same Place Mr. Schlenker Used to Winter—Should Work for Others.

"We had a bad winter here, and lots of our chickens were dying. We were getting 27 eggs a day. Then we read about Don Sung and tried it in January. And our 75 hens started laying 30 to 40 eggs a day. With Mr. Schlenker, Box 215, North, O. Day.

Figure that out. About 3 dozen extra eggs each day, at 50 cents a dozen, made about \$16 per month extra income. Don Sung for his 75 chickens cost Mr. Schlenker about \$2 a month. Here's the same offer he accepted, and it's open to you.

Give your hens Don Sung and watch results for one month. If you don't find that it pays for itself, simply tell us and your money will be promptly refunded. Don Sung (Chinese for egg-laying) works directly on the egg-laying organs, and is also a splendid tonic. It is easily given in the feed, improves the hen's health, makes her stronger and more active in any weather, and starts her laying. Try Don Sung 30 days and if it doesn't get you 30 eggs, no matter how cold or wet the weather, your money will be refunded by return mail. Get Don Sung from your druggist or poultry supply dealer or send 50 cents for a package by mail prepaid. Burrell-Pugger Co., Inc., Columbia Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.

PEOPLE WANT CONVENIENCES.

Bank Service is a Convenience, as well as a Protection.

The reason that people seek bank service is because the Citizens National Bank, 135 Pittsburg street, Connellsville, affords convenience, as well as protection. "T.M. Bank" serves the time of busy people. Savings and checking accounts are invited.—Adv.

Engagement Announced. Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Louise Fairchild of Dawson and Lewis A. Leiberger, son of Mrs. F. A. Leiberger of West Peach street. Miss Fairchild is a bookkeeper for the People's Furniture company. Mr. Leiberger, since his return from France, has been a conductor on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad.

Patronize those who advertise.

SORE THROAT or Tonsillitis, gargle with warm salt water, then apply

VICK'S VAPORUBS YOUR BODYGUARD—30¢ 60¢ \$1.20

Sparrows' CHOCOLATES

If you've never tasted Sparrows' Chocolates—you still have a delightful experience to look forward to.

They're so dainty in appearance—so exquisite in taste. And withal, so wholesomely pure.

No trouble to find your favorite among the many SPARROWS varieties.

Encourage Home Industry. Spend your money where you make it. Ask for SPARROWS at your "candy store."

Tri-State Candy Company

The Resinol treatment

Is a simple effective remedy for sufferers from itching, burning, skin troubles. Try today, bathing that uncomfortable, irritated surface with RESINOL SOAP and warm water. After you have dried it gently with a soft cloth, apply RESINOL OINTMENT with the finger tips. Then see if you are not surprised at the prompt and blessed relief.



RESINOL SHAVING STICK gives a rich lather, full of soothing, healing properties which leave the skin comfortable and refreshed. All druggists carry the Resinol products.

Have You the "Right to Happiness?"

World's Greatest Story of Love and Happiness. Let the Soisson Theatre Be Your Santa Claus. 5,000 PEOPLE—A CITY BURNED—A CITY BUILT The Greatest Dual Role Ever Portrayed By

Dorothy Phillips

"The Right to Happiness"

8 ACTS—A HALF MILLION DOLLAR PRODUCTION. She Led a Mob to Storm Her Father's Mansion. There Have Been Only Six BIG PRODUCTIONS Made in the World—This Is One of the Six.

SOISSON THEATRE

3 Days Only—Commencing Monday, Dec. 15.

8 Weeks at Park Theatre, New York.

Special Holiday Prices at Soisson 15c and 25c.

HOME MADE RECIPE CATARRH AND COLDS

Non-expensive—Cut This Out.

Thousands are making this beneficial remedy at home, and anyone who has catarrh or a cold can do the same.

Ask your druggist for three quarters of an ounce of Mentholized Aroclene and pour it into a pint bottle, then fill the bottle with water that has been boiled. Gargle the throat as directed and sniff or spray the liquid into the nostrils twice daily. It's a simple way to get rid of cold and catarrh and keeps the nasal passage and throat so clean and healthy that germs of flu or any other serious illness will have a hard time gaining a foothold.

is the dentrifice that contains the properties recommended as ideal by United States Army dental surgeons

WAS NERVOUS AND RUN DOWN RESTORED TO N-O-R-M-A-L HEALTH BY BIO-FEREN

"I feel I owe you people a world of gratitude for the benefit I have received in using your wonderful remedy—Bio-feren Tablets, which have completely restored me to normal conditions," says Joseph E. Webb of Muncie, Indiana.

Bio-feren is without doubt the grandest and quickest remedy for nervous, run-down, weak, anemic men and women ever offered direct through the druggists and is not at all expensive. Take two after each meal and one at bed time, and after seven days take one after each meal and one at bed time until the supply is exhausted.

Then if you feel that any claim made in this special notice is untrue—if you are not in better health—if you do not feel ambitious, more vigorous and keen minded; yes, twice as much as you did before, the druggist who sold you the tablets will gladly hand you back just what you paid for them.

All druggists in this city and vicinity have a supply on hand, or can easily get it for you. Seven a day for seven days—Wonderful results.

"At Your Service" J. E. HORNBEINER General Insurance & Real Estate 315 Title & Trust Building Bell Phone 108

Patronize Those Who Advertise.



A GIFT OF A BANK ACCOUNT TO A CHILD

has the charm of novelty and at the same time is a practical, sensible present. Children who received such gifts years ago at Christmas now have substantial accounts with this bank.

The saving habit was formed in childhood and is still kept up. Savings accounts may be started with \$1.00 more.

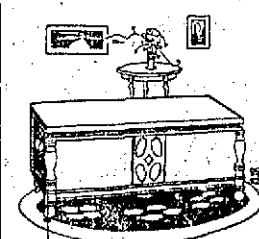
Liberal Interest. FIRST NATIONAL BANK 120 W. Crawford Ave., Connellsville. "The Bank That Does Things for You" Checking Accounts Invited.

SKAT HAND SOAP

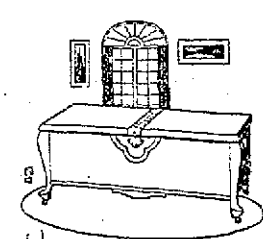
Dissolves dirt, rolls it out of the pores. Leaves the skin smooth. Write to The SKAT Company, Hartford, Conn.



Get "Her" a Genuine Tennessee Red Cedar Chest

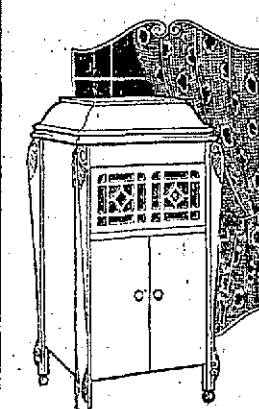


In Gift bestowing it makes no difference whether the "Her" referred to above be your mother, wife, sister or sweetheart, a beautifully figured Tennessee Red Cedar Chest will be appreciated. As usual—this year's most popular gift for women is to be found in greatest variety at the Zimmerman-Wild store. There are styles here from the dainty Hope Chest models up to the large storage affairs.

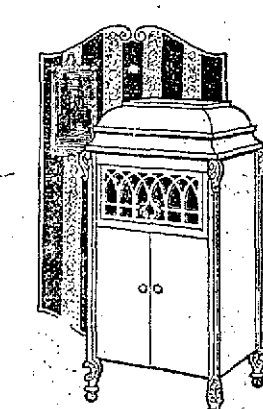


See the Special Hope Chest Styles \$14.75

Get the Family a Talking Machine This Xmas!



The gift of cheer for all the year—let it waken your family Christmas morning and see how much gayer your home will be with the strains of music floating through it. Come to the Big Store near the Bridge where there are many makes to choose from. Hear them tested side by side and determine for yourself which is best. Remember every talking machine we sell is absolutely guaranteed both by ourselves and the manufacturers.



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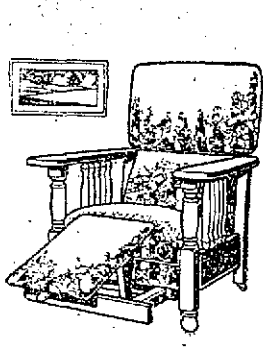
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Big Attractive Models, \$100, \$125 and \$140. Play All Records—No Interest to Pay—Any Needle

And Above All Get "Him" a Royal Easy Chair!



Yes, don't overlook Dad or that home-loving brother this year—let's get him one of those big comfy Royal Easy Chairs that are so restful—and when he sinks into its luxurious depths after the Christmas dinner you can bet your bottom dollar he will feel that he is having the greatest Christmas ever. The Royal Easy with just a touch of the button can be adjusted to a reading or sleeping position instantly. Have one laid aside now while there's still a goodly selection to choose from.



See Our Big Special "Royal" \$19.75

Choice of Golden Oak, Fumed Oak or Mahogany Finish. Completely Equipped With Push Button and Combined Concealed Foot Rest and Newspaper Basket.

ZIMMERMAN WILD COMPANY

FURNITURE RUGS STOVES

"The Big Store Near The Bridge"

154-158 W. Crawford Ave.

Five & Ten Cent Wall Paper Co.

Has now opened a

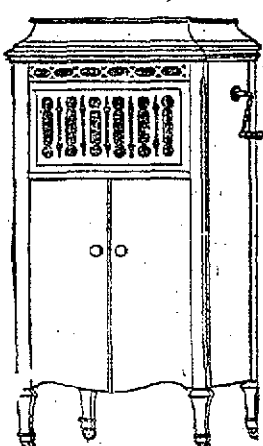
Phonograph Record Exchange

Bring your records and select others of your choice out of our large variety.

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10 Customers for Every Pathe Phonograph

Fact! There are ten people for every Pathe Phonograph that can be delivered between now and Christmas. That means just one thing—if you want to be sure of your Pathe act—and act now—a small deposit now will avoid disappointment later.



The Pathe plays all makes of records

The Pathe PHONOGRAPH

is ready to make this the merriest Christmas you ever had. Step in and listen to the Pathe—costs no more than the ordinary phonograph.

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One of the best equipped automobile repair shops in the city. We make a specialty of welding and brazing all kinds of metals—frames are welded without tearing down. We are in a position to handle all work large or small in our welding department. Save the pieces and bring them to us, we will save you money. All makes of autos repaired that are damaged in any shape or form. Rebor-ing cylinders and filling scores in cylinders; making oversize pistons; truing crank shafts; rebabbiting bearings; radiator repairs etc.

There is nothing impossible for us to do in this line. All we ask is a trial. Have confidence in us we will see that your work is done in a satisfactory manner.

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West Side, Connellsville, Pa.

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C. A. WAGNER, Manager

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The home of the best pictures for the best people in Connellsville's best playhouse

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—Tomorrow—

"Golden Shadows"

Featuring GLADYS LESLIE. Also a Good Comedy.

—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday—

"The Right to Happiness"

Featuring DOROTHY PHILLIPS. Also a Good Comedy.

SPECIAL! SPECIAL!

Reduction on Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats for Xmas Shoppers.

REAL LIVE XMAS BARGAINS AT - S. M. LEVY

We are offering a wide variety of Suits and Overcoats for Men and Young Men at this Special Price—\$35.00 to \$45.00. Suits and Overcoats will positively go to Christmas buyers for \$29.50. All are fine-looking, dependable garments. All the most wanted styles are included. Among them are double and single breasted, belts all around—form fitting models. The fabrics in both Suits and Overcoats are of an excellent quality and variety of colors and patterns.

Why Pay More When You Can Get It Here For Less



Wonderful savings in your Xmas Suits. We have the most up-to-date line of Suits for Men and Young Men in all the latest shades and models.

You can easily save \$10.00 on every garment in this store.

We carry a wonderful line of Men's and Young Men's hand-tailored Suits from the most famous makes, ranging from

\$25 to \$38.50

A special lot in Men's Blue and Black Serges, also other shades included. Will sell for **\$29.50**

Boys' Clothing

350 Boys' Suits, ranging in sizes up to 18—price from \$5.00 up to \$16.50.

Boys' Mackinaws

With belts and shawl collars, in plain and Scotch plaid colors. \$12.50 value for **\$8.45**

125 Children's and Boys' In the latest shades and styles, with and without belts, sizes 3 up to 16. Good values. Will offer from **\$4.95 to \$12.45**

MEN:

Are you looking ahead to the cold waves still a coming, and do you want to keep warm during the zero weather soon due?

We have just what you want in Corduroy and Moleskin Vests and Coats, in Sheepskin and Blanket lined.

Will be sold at an extremely low price. Come in and see.

250 pair Men's Corduroy Pants, ranging in price from

\$2.95 to \$7.50

A Full Line of Rubber Footwear for Men, Boys, Children and Women

Arctics—1, 2 and 4 buckle Men's fine rubber and cloth top and plain gum.

Men's boys' and children's felt boots.

A complete line in Men's and Children's Shoes—low and high top, will all be sold at ridiculously low prices.

Useful Gifts For Men Boys and Children

A special in Men's Silk Shirts, \$10.00 values for **\$7.50**

Ties—good values 65c to \$2.00
Scarfs—good values \$1.00 to \$3.50
Men's Caps—good values \$1.00 to \$7.50
Men's Gloves—good values \$1.00 to \$5.00
Men's Hats—good values \$2.50 to \$7.50
Umbrellas—good values \$2.50 to \$4.00

Men's Union Suits

The heaviest quality in fleece lined and ribbed, regular \$3.00 value **\$1.95**

Men's heavy durable Sweaters, will go while they last at **\$1.45**

The Gift That Men Appreciate

We offer wonderful bargains in Men's all wool Sweaters in all the latest shades—can be had with or without shawl collar. Prices range from \$4.50 to \$9.50.

Great values included in the lot.

Men's Hats

A most up-to-date line in the latest shades and styles—great savings.

Wonderful values and bargains from \$2.50 to \$7.50.

We Guarantee Worth-While Savings on Every

Overcoat

Whatever your demands, you will find them easy to satisfy here.

Large assortments of all the newest and best models and styles at the lowest prices.

75 Men's and Young Men's Overcoats

\$35.00 values to Xmas buyers only **\$29.50**

One lot to Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, in all shades and styles. Good \$30.00 to \$35.00 values, will go at **\$25.00**

One lot of Men's and Young Men's Overcoats, in conservative models only. Among them many that have been bought before priced advanced. In all shades. Will close them out at **\$16.50**

Are worth more than double the money. This item alone will pay you to shop a day at this store, and convince yourself of the great Xmas bargains we are offering.



S. M. LEVY

All cars stop in front of store. 138 W. Crawford Ave. Next to Frisbee Hdwe. Store

MOVING VAN BURNS, INDIAN HEAD MAN'S GOODS ARE DESTROYED

Property of Mrs. Dugan is being Moved to Youngwood. When it Goes to Smoke Near Dunham.

At about 10 o'clock Friday morning Harry J. Elkanan of Youngwood was transporting the household furniture of Alva Dugan of Indian Head to Youngwood, on a big Wilcox truck. A fire started in the center of the goods and as the auto was going along at a rather rapid rate of speed the wind fanned the flames into a big blaze in a very short time.

As soon as the driver observed that the goods were in a mass of flames, he slowed down and made a desperate effort to topple off some of the articles but as several of the pieces of furniture were chained together he had no chance to scatter the goods or even save the big truck.

The scene of the fire was on the hills south of Donegal. The driver was heading for the clay pits which leads through Chestnut Ridge mountain to Laurelville and Mount Pleasant. As he was unable to rescue any part of the "blitz" and his truck was reduced to a heap of junk right in the road. He was unable to reach any water supply with which to extinguish the flames.

PLAN BOXING CLUB

Local Promoters Would Stage Bout Every Two Weeks.

The formation of an athletic club to put on boxing shows here this winter has been announced. Cards, consisting of a six-round opener, an eight-round semi-final and a 10-round windup, are planned, with the preliminaries eliminated. Thus the fights will start early and wind up in time for out of town men to catch cars for home.

Two strict rules will be that each boxer must post a forfeit to insure his appearance and that any boxer who stalls or tries to fake or who does not put forth his best efforts in his boxing will not receive any compensation and that no boxer shall receive his money until after he has finished his bout.

Duke Barry has been engaged as matchmaker.

Greensburg "Y" Secretary. GREENSBURG, Dec. 15.—B. W. Kerr has been elected secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. to take the place of R. G. Armstrong, who resigned to take a position at Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Hollins Superintendent. Miss Ruth Hollins, member of the class of 1919 of the Westmoreland hospital at Greensburg, has been elected superintendent of the Latrobe hospital.



POINT MARION WINS

Pittsburg Team Felt Up Hard Battle Against Fayette Countians.

One of the fastest and cleanest games of basketball ever played in Point Marion was won by Point Marion over the strong P. R. R. team of Pittsburg. Center, Cupp played a remarkable game, but Point Marion was just a little too fast.

Duffy Walls of Scottsdale officiated and his "tip" talk and a plea for Red Cross seals touched the spot and almost \$50 was realized, his work being high class.

Point Marion would like to hear from Macabees teams for a home and home series.

WEST PENN FARE BOOST

Applies to Kittanning Division, Not the Connelville.

HARRISBURG, Dec. 15.—A new tariff of rates, applying only to the Kittanning division, was filed with the Public Service Commission last week by the West Penn Railways company, effective January 7, 1920.

The cash fare rate per zone and the cash fare ticket rate per zone is increased from five to six cents. Increases in other existing rates are mentioned.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jenkins desire to thank their many friends and neighbors for the beautiful floral pieces and the kind help and sympathy extended to them during the last illness and death of their beloved daughter, Gertrude. 15-21.

Year Help

Advertise in our classified column.



The Symbol of Specific Purpose

Service is the symbol of specific purpose for usefulness.

We grow in helping our customers to grow.

Tile and Trust Company
of Western Pennsylvania
Connellsville

NOTIFIES DRUGGISTS OF BIG DEMAND FOR MU-COL

Says "Just as soon as the people in this vicinity discover that Mu-Col has such desirable action in severe Catarrhs, conditions of Nose and Throat, Tonsillitis, Sore Throat, and to prevent Grippe and Pneumonia, they will insist on having it and will not accept anything else. Stick up now and don't disappoint your customers."

Mu-Col Is Guaranteed To All

We want all druggists to know that there will be a big and instant demand for MU-COL, the wonderful antiseptic that has hitherto been advertised exclusively to physicians and surgeons as a result of the advertising that will be carried in this section in a few days.

Twenty years ago we said to the medical profession: "Here is something that is ten times more effective than your expensive, so-called antiseptic solutions. It's an absolute antiseptic, and as it is always made and used fresh, cannot under any condition lose its strength."

"It's absolutely safe, agreeable and convenient, and one small package will do the work of ten bottles of

solutions at one-tenth the cost." The doctors tried it—used it in their practice and were amazed. Its quick, decisive action in severe Catarrhal conditions of the mucous membranes, and particularly those of the nose and throat, was marvelous. They prescribed it for Tonsillitis, Pharyngitis, Sore Throat and in Acute Rhinitis. They urged its use for inflammatory skin diseases—Eczema, Pruritus, Pimples, Heat, Hives, Boils and Abscesses, and found that it never disappointed them—MU-COL was great.

That was twenty years ago. Today, after thousands of cures, dentists and nurses have prescribed, used and recommended it. So, want you, Mr. Druggist, to tell your customers about MU-COL. Tell them to use it as the doctors did.

Get your order in today—your jobber has it, and remember that people who use MU-COL once are never without it forever afterwards.

Remember also that in selling MU-COL to your customers we guarantee to do just what we say it will do, and if it doesn't give your customer his money back and we will make good.

Sincerely yours,
THE MU-COL COMPANY,
Buffalo, N. Y.

WEAR Horner's Clothing

J. B. Kurtz
NOTARY PUBLIC
AND REAL ESTATE,
South Meadow Lane,
Connellsville, Pa.

Get Ready for Xmas!

Before you make a final decision on your next Suit or Overcoat we would be pleased to have you call and see what we have to offer you. We know that we can save you big money and at the same time give you the best of goods.

Suits of all styles and weights, excellent materials, good fit that are worth twice as much as we put them on sale for. Suits at \$12.00 and up.

Overcoats of the more conservative styles, good materials, all sizes at \$9.00 and up.

Young men's right to the minute skirt models in Suits and Overcoats. Most stylish materials and finely tailored at \$22.00 and up.

The reason we are able to sell at such low prices is because we are principally engaged in the cleaning and pressing business. It will pay you to come a great distance for one of these bargains.

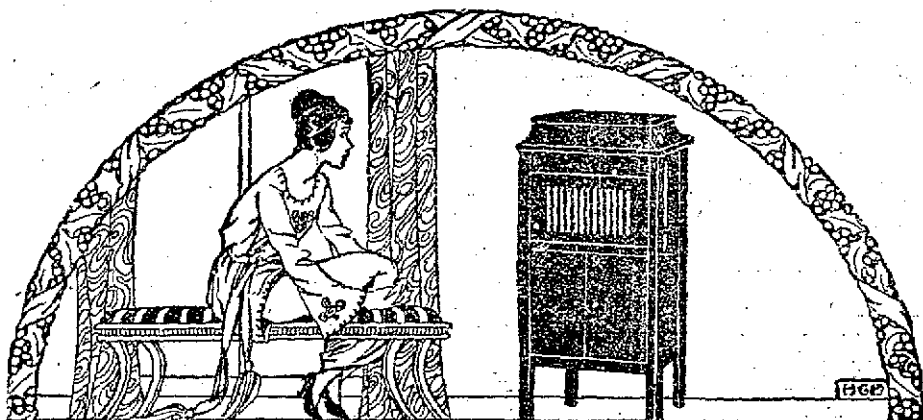
If your clothes get torn or moth eaten or burned, bring them to us. You will not be able to find the damaged places when we get through with them.

Men's Suits, steamed and pressed 75c
Men's Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.50
Ladies' Suits steamed and pressed \$1.00
Ladies' Suits cleaned and pressed \$2.00

Note—If you will clip this ad out of The Courier and bring it to us we will give you \$1.00 after purchasing any overcoat or suit.

A SHULMAN

THE MAN WHO BROUGHT THE PRICES DOWN
241 North Pittsburg Street, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.



Are You Thinking of
A Phonograph for Christmas?

THE AEOLIAN-VOCALION

Will delight you and yours

WHEN you go to buy a phonograph, judge its quality by its artistic excellence, the richness and body of its tone.

Test the Aeolian-Vocalion with any record you choose. It plays them all and the tone will be finer, smoother than you have ever heard from a phonograph before.

And to heighten the pleasure of having a phonograph in your home, there is the wonderful exclusive Vocalion privilege of playing each record—this by means of the wonderful Vocalion expression device—the Graduolet.

Vocalion prices are reasonable
and the new 1920 Styles are
more attractive than ever

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109 West Apple Street, Connellsville, Pa.

Since it's too Late to Shop Early, Shop as Early as You Can and Get
Double Gold Bond Stamps Each Day Until Noon
 Commencing at 8 O'clock, Monday, December 15, and continuing each forenoon until 12 o'clock, December 24
Double Gold Bond Stamps Will Be Given On All Orders Except Groceries



Just in Time for Christmas

Thousands of Silk Undergarments, the largest stock with the most beautiful designs we have ever shown

Now Reduced

When Planning Your Christmas Shopping Don't Forget Women Adore

Exquisite Underwear from the Philippine Islands—

the most beautiful of gifts, hand embroidered, trimmed with hand made lace, and ribbon run, with many designs found in the various garments so matched sets can be formed. It is worth remembering that these were all bought 12 months ago at prices prevailing then—fully 25% lower than they would cost now.

Such practical savings were never more worthy of consideration.

CHEMISE—dainty embroidery and lace

trimmed \$3.50 to \$7.50

GOWNS—soft and fine, to match the

chemise \$5.95 to \$8.95

Christmas Camisoles

\$2.25 pink silk or satin camisoles with shadow lace tops, sizes 36 to 44.

\$1.89

reduced for Christmas to

\$2.95 beautiful silk and satin camisoles, trimmed in lace and ribbons, sizes 36 to 44.

\$2.39

reduced for Christmas to

An "Intimate" Box Filled with Dainty Lingerie

What a welcome gift for a woman and it really doesn't matter whether it's from the distant Philippines or from the silk mills of the east.

The thing which counts is the delight "she" will find in the exquisitely embroidered garments of sheerest cotton or softest silk and in the pleasure the gift will carry. Each garment will be boxed attractively or combinations will be boxed to order.

Beautiful Wash Satin and Crepe de Chine "Undies"—

prettiest of all as well as quite practical. Almost proof against wear, easily laundered and re-dyed, silk makes practical underwear for business women who care for their own clothes and who appreciate not only its comfort, but its durable qualities.

CAMISOLES in wash satin and crepe de chine, also georgette, flesh and white, sizes 36 to 44—

Regular price, \$3.50 to \$7.95.

Special at—\$3.15 to \$7.16

PAJAMAS—light blue and flesh crepe de chine—

Regular price, \$19.75 to \$23.75

Special at \$17.78 to \$21.38

DRESSING SACKS—light blue and flesh crepe de chine—

Regular Price, \$9.50 to \$11.00.

Special at—\$8.55 to \$9.90

ENVELOPE CHEMISE—flesh and white crepe de chine, satin and georgette crepe, sizes 36 to 44—

Regular price, \$5.95 to \$15.00.

Special at \$5.36 to \$13.50

GOWNS—beautifully made and trimmed of crepe de chine and wash satin, in flesh, white and orchid; tailored and fancy garments, sizes 15, 16 and 17—

Regular price, \$10.95 to \$25.00.

Special at \$9.86 to \$22.50

BLOOMERS—satin and crepe de chine in flesh and white, plain and lace trimmed and with splendid elastic, sizes 23, 25 and 27—

Regular price, \$5.00 to \$12.00.

Special at \$4.50 to \$11.75

Bath Robes and Outing Gowns

Prosaic and Practical, But Also Welcome.
 BATHROBES—In Beacon, Flannels and Eiderdown in tan, blue and green—

All on the
Second
Floor

\$3.95 to
\$13.95

OUTING GOWNS—Well made and warm

\$2.25 and \$2.50 values \$1.98
 \$2.75 and \$2.95 \$2.49

Christmas Specials in Domestic

—bedding to keep one warm and snug during cold nights. Sheets and blankets as well as cotton filled comforts make sensible gifts for sensible folk. Specials for the week include:

81x90 Cuyaga Sheets, special at \$1.95 each

72x90 New Era Sheets, special at \$1.85 each

65x80 Wool Mixed Blankets in Grey and White and Tan and White plaid, value \$12.50 the pair, special at \$7.75 the pair.

68x80 All Wool Blankets in Grey and White and Pink and White plaid, value \$18.00 the pair, special at \$15.00 the pair.

54x72 Grey Cotton Blankets with Blue and Pink borders, special at \$2.50 the pair.

70x80 Grey Cotton Blankets with Blue and Brown borders, special at \$4.00 the pair.

WRIGHT-METZLER CO



Fur Hats For Christmas—

—and how joyfully such a gift will be received by the happy recipient of someone's thought along worthwhile lines while planning their gifts. Any face looks rosy under a seal toque, but get her the fur which matches her set.

And by the Way, We are Showing STRAW HATS

They are really for the people planning to go south soon after Christmas, but they are so attractive we predict they will be bought by many women and worn right here at home.



WANTED—A Good Book

Even though not a single solitary grown up writes Santa Claus for a book or half a dozen books to read during the coming winter evenings—they'll come sometime, never fear—, rest assured that no gift will be more welcome.

For the man or woman either, who loves a bit of nonsense, there are "The Follygiant Album", "The Family Album" and "The Young Visitors" announced as the works of infant prodigies and just as funny as if the authors' ages are correct—and, maybe they are.

For the man who likes a book with a mental stimulus and great character drawing, we would recommend Irving Bacheller's latest—"A Man For the Ages". Abraham Lincoln moves in and out of the scene presenting a most satisfactory touch every now and then of the man whom the world reveres for his true heartedness and innate dignity of soul, but the hero is another—Read it!

"Mammy's White Folks" by Emma Speed Sampson is a romance of the old South, told with deft and sympathetic humor and understanding and holding interest until "Finis" is reached after Ester's romance is safely launched. Mammy's quaint observations have a simple philosophy in them which pleases.

"Red and Black" by Grace Richmond, who has woven quite a series of readable stories around Dr. Red Pepper Burns and his adventures and romance, is another phase of that rather exceptional character's development when, through an unwilling admiration for a militant minister in a pacifist charge, he embraces finally, the young Scott's whole doctrine. Incidentally, there are two unusually good love stories woven through the story which has just been concluded after running for a year in "The Ladies Home Journal".

Other Books of the Season

ZANE GRAY—"The Lone Star Ranger", "The Shortstop", "The Heritage of the Desert", "The Last Trail", "The Spirit of the Border".

GRACE RICHMOND—"Strawberry Acres", "With Juliet in England", "The Brown Study", "Mrs. Red Pepper Burns", "Mr. Red Pepper Burns", "A Court of Inquiry", "The Second Violin".

HAROLD BELL WRIGHT—"The Winning of Barbara Worth", "Their Yesterdays", "The Shepherd of the Hills", "The Calling of Dan Matthews", "When a Man is a Man", "The Eyes of the World".

WILLIAM MCLEOD REINE—"The Vision Splendid", "Mavericks", "Ridgeway of Montana", "The Pirates of Panama".

WINSTON CHURCHILL—"A Far Country", "The Dwelling Place of Light", "Richard Carvel".

GENE STRATTON PORTER—"The Road to Understanding", "The Turn of the Tide".

JOHN FOX, JR.—"The Heart of the Hills", "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine", "A Cumberland Vendetta".

Light the Christmas Candles

One of the prettiest Christmas customs is the burning of candles in the windows Christmas Eve.

Boston—even the frigid, blue-blooded Beacon Hill and Back Bay district, has set the pace for all America and, with curtains pulled aside from thousands of windows, extends Christmas cheer to every passerby.

BUT, you won't have to go to Boston for your Christmas candles.

We have scores of them right here, scores for decorative purposes and matching the period furnishings of your home; scores for burning Christmas eve or other festive days, and you will find them on the first floor near the Art Goods, priced most reasonably. Gift candles are boxed attractively.



Christmas Gifts HANDKERCHIEFS

Madiera, lace trimmed or with colored designs in the corners, dainty white cambric and linen, monogrammed or plain. It is always safe to buy a woman handkerchiefs for no one ever had too many and you can always buy her just as many here as you wish to give.

Handkerchiefs, 10c to \$1.50 each.
 Many Beauties at 25c and 50c.

GIFTS FOR MEN Where Quality Counts

FUR CAPS

—just the thing to turn down over his ears when there's an icy sting to the wind—

\$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00

UNDERWEAR

—there's no particular Christmas sentiment, but oh, what practical comfort is in "Superior" garments—

\$2.50 to \$8.00



Gift Suggestions from the Men's Store, First Floor NEW SHOES

—are luxuries to say the least, and these which we are showing are the very best obtainable at—

\$4.00 to \$18.00

MEN'S HATS

—must be chosen with great discrimination to suit the faces—the top and form and fabric count—

\$3.50 to \$12.00

